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1. [REDACTED] Met with Frank Slatinshek, Assistant Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and gave him a suggested reply to a constituent letter from Mr. [REDACTED] Colorado, for Representative Wayne N. Aspinall (D., Colo.).

I also discussed with Mr. Slatinshek the letter from Chairman Richard H. Ichord (D., Mo.), of the House Committee on Internal Security, concerning disclosures in news accounts of information about Premier Lon Nol ostensibly taken from CIA reports. In brief, it is Mr. Slatinshek's suggestion that it would be well if Mr. Maury were to talk informally with Chairman Ichord about the matter.

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2. [REDACTED] Met with Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and reviewed with him the administrative arrangements for the Director's briefing for Tuesday, 7 July. Mr. Kuhl noted in passing that no meetings have been scheduled with State Department or USIA personnel concerning the Foreign Service nominees pending before the Committee, and as far as he knows none are contemplated..

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4. [] John R. Norpel on the staff of the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee called. He is making the changes which we requested in the transcript of [] testimony and found that we had deleted the name of an Agency employee in lines four and five of page 319 but had not deleted the same name in line one of that page. He said he would go ahead and make the change for us.

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5. [] [] called to say that at the request of Mr. Paul Karody on Senator Robert C. Byrd's (D., W. Va.), staff they were adding the Senator's name to the mailing list for the [] [] on the assumption that we would have no objection. I told him to go ahead.

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6. [] Checked with Mr. [] Division, on their progress on the inquiry from Representative David N. Henderson (D., N.C.), on the [] case. He said they had been in touch with FE Division and are querying the field about these officers. I asked that this be done on a priority basis.

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8. [] Briefed Senator Milton Young, of the CIA Subcommittee of Senate Appropriations, on current situation in the Middle East and Southeast Asia.

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Mr. []

Mr. Houston; Mr. Goodwin

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1. [] Received a call from J. Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, who wanted to assure us that the transcript of the testimony of [] before the Subcommittee had not been made available to Reader's Digest. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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2. [] George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, called to say that Friday, 10 July, was a good date for Representative Catherine May (R., Wash.) and himself to come to the Agency to have lunch with the Director. We will make the necessary arrangements.

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3. [] Talked with Peggy MacDonald, in the office of Senator Henry M. Jackson (D., Wash.), about the contact of [] with Senator Jackson's Washington State office regarding [] (see Journal of 25 June). She identified [] as one of their problem children and thanked me for contacting her.

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4. [] Senator Milton Young (R., N. Dak.) called and asked if someone would brief him at 2:00 p.m. tomorrow with particular emphasis on Indochina and the Middle East. I told him we would be happy to do so.

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5. [] Called Victor Zafra, Bureau of the Budget, for a status report on S. 782. Zafra said they had no problem with our proposed report, but wanted us to wait before sending it to Chairman Henderson until the BOB has cleared the reports of other departments and agencies. He said there is a question of possible threat of Presidential veto if certain language changes are not made, in which case BOB would want to give us more specific guidance than "no objection." In response to my query Zafra said that the Civil Service Commission has serious problems with the bill, especially sections 4 and 5 (dealing with recourse to the courts and appeal boards procedures). He said this, coupled with the desirability of a CIA/NSA exemption might be sufficient to warrant consideration of the veto.

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6. [] Met with Miss Dorothy Fosdick, Staff Director, Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, Senate Committee on Government Operations, and received a copy of a paper in German by [] with a request for translation. Mr. [] DDI, has been advised.

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7. [] In response to his call to Mr. Maury picked up from Mr. Frank Slatinshek, Assistant Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, a constituent letter that had been forwarded to the Armed Services Committee by Representative Wayne N. Aspinall (D., Colo.). We will prepare a suggested reply for Representative Aspinall's use.

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